

Criminal Justice Integration in Nebraska

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CJIS Advisory Committee

- **NE Crime Commission**
 - **NE State Patrol**
 - **NE Attorney General's Office**
 - **NE Department of Correctional Services**
 - **State Court Administrator's Office**
 - **NIDCAC**
 - **NE Parole Board**
 - **NE Probation Department**
 - **HHS, Office of Juvenile Services**
 - **NE Commission on Public Advocacy**
 - **NE County Attorneys Association**
 - **NE Criminal Defense Attorneys Assn**
 - **NE Sheriffs Association**
 - **Police Officers' Association of NE**
 - **Police Chiefs Association of NE**
 - **Omaha Police Department**
 - **Lincoln Police Department**
 - **Douglas County Information Systems**
 - **Clerks of the District Courts**
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 - **NE Domestic Violence Sexual Assault Coalition**
 - **NE Coalition for Victims of Crime**
 - **County Correctional Departments**
 - **League of Nebraska Municipalities**
 - **NE Association of County Officials**
 - **NE Chief Information Officer**
 - **related agencies (DMV, DOR, FHWA)**
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Background

- # CJIS Advisory Committee formed in 1995
 - # Created a standing body to work on data sharing, automation
 - # Formation recommended following several large CJ IT projects
 - AFIS
 - JUSTICE – court system
 - # 26 voting members
 - # State CJ agencies
 - # Local CJ agencies and professional associations
 - # State and local IT, CIO
 - # CJIS does not replace or overtake agency projects
 - # Initially moved to develop a steering document
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CJIS Strategic Plan

- # Initial task to define integration and goals
 - # Hired a consultant for planning
 - MTG Management Consultants – Seattle
 - # Completed in 1997
 - # Included about 80 projects and a five year timeline
 - # Developed data standards
 - # Plan updated in 2001
 - # Necessitated an Incremental Approach
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CJIS Goals

Data Sharing and Exchanges

- Exchanges across state systems
 - Implemented various exchanges
- Integration through the CJ cycle
 - Implementing local automation projects
 - Including application level exchanges

Improved Access to Data

- State and Local
 - Repository
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CJIS Related Projects

- # AFIS
 - # JUSTICE
 - # NPMIS – Probation
 - # PCH
 - # NeLEIS
 - # Switch upgrade
 - # NIBRS
 - # DV and VW Case Management Systems
 - # Various local automation projects
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CJIS Funded Projects

Protection Order Registry

- Extract court data
- Post to NCIS and NCJIS

Victim Notification – VINE

- Toll free access to detention data for jails and DCS
- Necessitated automating 60+ jails
- Interfaces with 6 jails and DCS
- Data is centralized for State use
- People can register to be notified of a release

Electronic Citations

- Pilot in NSP/CE Weigh Stations
 - TraCS
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CJIS Funded Projects - 2

Local Automation – must meet integration goals

- Jail automation – via VINE
 - 60+ jails
 - Meet Jail Standards – local needs and State reporting
 - Data and mugshots centralized
 - Law Enforcement RMS
 - State contract for 100 licenses
 - Deployed in 80+ agencies
 - Meet local needs and NIBRS
 - Prosecution
 - 2002 – signed a contract for State licenses
 - Testing and will deploy later this year
 - Accident Diagramming
 - Meet DOR needs
 - Integrated with law enforcement RMS
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CJIS Funded Projects - 3

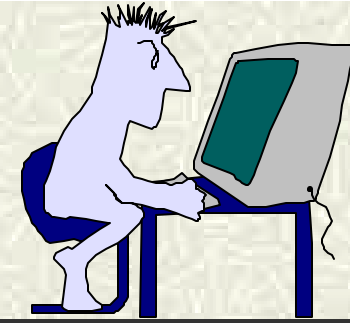
Data Exchanges

- * Some local interfaces (Lincoln/Lancaster Co, Kearney/Buffalo Co, Omaha/Douglas Co)
- * JUSTICE/PCH – dispositions
- * DCS/PCH
- * AFIS/PCH
- Livescan / JMS
- Prosecution / JUSTICE – filing
- Prosecution / PCH – filing/non-filing

NCJIS

- **Access to Data**
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Access to Data



- # 1998 – CJIS Communications Plan
 - Envisioned building on State networks
 - AS400 in each county (for DMV and Courts)
 - NbLETS for NCIC
 - State backbone was SNA (since migrated to TCP/IP)
 - Limited local networking
 - Costly for connectivity or dedicated CJ networking
 - Opted to use the Internet
 - Cost effective for development and users
 - Available with backbone or dial-up access
 - Could use State network after migration

NCJIS

• Nebraska *Criminal Justice Information System* •

- # **GOAL:** provide easy and secure access to criminal justice data for a variety of criminal justice users
- # **SOLUTION:** Browser based access that any certified user could get to using standard Internet technology
- # Began development in mid 1999
- # Live in May, 2000
- # Users
 - Law Enforcement (PDs, SOs, NSP, UNL)
 - Investigators - DOI, Revenue, Gaming
 - Probation, Corrections, Jails, State Fire Marshall, Crime Commission
 - Prosecutors – County Attorneys, Attorney General
 - Federal agencies – FBI, US Attorney, HUD, IRS, INS, Prob, Sup

Security

- # Mostly MS tools (NT, SQL, IIS)
 - # Issue our own digital certificates (Netscape)
 - # Certs shared by NeLEIS (intel)
 - # SSL, encryption
 - # User accounts/passwords administered by the agency
 - # Secure email possible
 - # Electronically log all transactions
 - # Access to each DB can be set for the agency or the individual
 - # Training and MOUs per agency for use and dissemination
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Functionality

Data

- Patrol Criminal History, Corrections, Parolees, Jail, Probationers, Registered Sex Offenders, Protection Orders, Mugshots (DCS, Jail), DMV Driver History, DMV VTR, NIBRS+
- Master Search across criminal data
- Indexed and linked by SID (when available)
- Data is replicated or indexed back to the source

Utilities / Other

- Prisoner Transport, Mutual Aid Resources, News, Threaded Discussion Group, Statistics Resource, NIBRS+ Upload

Upcoming

- Court (Warrants, full dispos), Application Level Exchange

**NCJIS**[Home](#)[Help](#)[Logout](#)[Criminal](#)[Non-Criminal](#)[Tools](#)

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Nebraska Criminal Justice Information System

Criminal Justice

Person Search

[Master](#)[Patrol Criminal Hist.](#)[Jails](#)[Juvenile Facilities](#)[Corrections](#)[Probation](#)[Sex Offender Registry](#)[Protection Orders](#)[Local \(NIBRS+\)](#)[Physical Search](#)[Albums](#)

Non Person Search

[Local Incidents](#)[Master Vehicle](#)[Property By Type](#)[Property By Desc.](#)

Others

Non-Criminal

[DMV VTR By Vehicle](#)[DMV VTR By Name](#)[DMV OLN](#)

Tools

[Prisoner Transport](#)[Mutual Aid Resources](#)[NIBRS Upload](#)[News](#)[Group Discussion](#)[Job Listings](#)[Training](#)[Administration](#)